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By Command,

F. H. MAY,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, May 20, 1933. 1095

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J. W. R. TAYLOR, Managing Director.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTEENTH ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company (since its Registration) will be held at the Offices of the Company on THURSDAY, the 28th inst., at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the GENERAL MANAGERS together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1932.

The REGISTER OF SHARES will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 22nd inst., until SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares will be registered.

By Order,

A. H. MANCILL, Secretary.

Hongkong, May 15, 1933. 1049

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NOTICE.

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ing charges.Goods per Moravia undelivered after this  
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General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, May 24 -

Goods per Oceanic not cleared at 4 p.m.  
on this date subject to rent.Goods per Glenis not cleared on this date  
subject to rent.

MONDAY, May 25 -

Goods per Bingo Maru not cleared on  
this date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, May 26 -

2.30 p.m. - Auction of Sundry Goods  
at Messrs. Hughes & Hughes's Sales Rooms.6.30 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria's Proce-  
dure and Priority at Freemasons' Hall.Goods per Stuttgart undelivered after  
this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, May 28 -

11 a.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of A. S.  
Watson Co., Ltd., at the Company's  
Offices.Register of Shares of A. S. Watson Co.,  
Ltd., closed from this date to 30th  
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BIRTH.  
On the 7th May, at the French Hospital,  
Bangkok, the wife of W. A. ROBERTSON, of  
a Son.MARRIAGES.  
At the Synagogue, 9 Seward Road,  
Shanghai, on the 17th May, ALEXANDER  
WOLFGANG to SARAH BELLA, third  
daughter of A. SPRUNGER, of Shanghai.At St. Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore,  
on the 18th May, HON. PATRICK LEARMONT,  
second son of J. B. LEARMONT, Esq., Ayr,  
to MARION BLACKSTONE ELLIOTT, only  
daughter of Capt. GEORGE ELLIOTT, Liver-  
pool.On 20th April, at Lyons, F. DE BOVIS,  
Agent of the Hongkong and Shanghai  
Banking Corporation, to Comtesse D'ARAIL,  
v/vs DE FONTENAY.DEATHS.  
On the 20th May, at No. 4, Leighton  
Hill Road, Hongkong, MARY MADAR,  
the dearly beloved wife of Sheikh Abdul  
Rahman, aged 27 years. Deeply re-  
gretted.At 21 Kwenming Road, Shanghai, on  
the 18th May, BRIGIOT SMART, late  
matron Military Female Hospital, Hong-  
kong, aged 68 years.The publication of this issue commenced  
at 5.25 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1903.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The evidence produced

in connection with the

MURDER.

Gage Street murder fully

demonstrated the com-  
plicity of the Chinese authorities in the  
tragedy. It was a particularly heart-  
less and cold-blooded crime, delib-  
erately planned in Canton; and the murder-  
ers were rewarded with the rank of  
militiamen, money and official appoint-  
ments. The victim's offence was a  
heinous one in the eyes of the Chinese  
authorities. He was one of a large body  
of intelligent Chinamen who seek the  
reform of their country. Reform and  
progress in most countries are synony-  
mous; in China, the average official  
chooses to regard the advocacy of re-  
forms in the methods of government as  
"revolutionary," and whether it is the  
follower of Kang Yu-wei in Peking or  
the enlightened reformer of South  
China he is considered guilty of sedition  
and is handed over to the executioner.  
So long as this goes on in Chinese ter-  
ritory, civilised countries cannot inter-  
fere; but when the officials of China  
send emissaries into a British Colony to  
carry out their bloodthirsty mission it is  
time for the British Government to in-  
terfere. The miserable wretch who was  
very properly found guilty and sentenced  
to death yesterday is no more guilty,  
however, than the Chinese officials who  
planned the murder and hired the mur-  
derers. In order to enforce the lesson  
that British territory cannot be invaded  
with impunity by emissaries of the Chi-  
nese Government, it is necessary that  
the principals in this brutal murder  
should be proceeded against through di-  
plomatic channels at Peking. Only by  
such action can the native mind be im-  
pressed with the inviolability of British  
soil.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

Admiral Bridge has been on a visit to  
Kioochau.The Ceylon Chess Club has twenty-  
seven members.Archbishop Fischer of Cologne will be  
promoted to be Cardinal.The late Tientsin magistrate is proved  
to have squeezed illegitimately to the  
extent of £10,000.The Empress Dowager has ordered a  
telegram to be sent to the famous actor  
Tan to return at once to Peking.Mwanga, the ex-King of Uganda, has  
died at Seychelles. He was deposed for  
taking part in a rising in 1907.Sir Halliday Macartney has been con-  
tinued to bed for three weeks with an attack  
of erysipelas, but is now convalescent.The report of the Yokohama Club  
Hotel for the past year announces a net  
profit for the year of yen 16,002.There is a rumour in Japan that  
China, to conciliate Russia, has instructed  
her Treaty Commissioners here to refuse  
to open any more ports in Manchuria.Vice Admiral Alexieff, Commander-in-  
Chief at Port Arthur, received on the 16th  
ult. the exceptional honour of promotion  
to the rank of Admiral.A recent report to the Japanese Consul  
at Newchwang says that, "as a matter of  
fact, there is no Russian soldier at the  
mouth of the Liao river or at the forts at  
Newchwang."Out of 14 cases of plague reported  
yesterday, 7 were "dumped." Two Indians  
were amongst the new cases, one from No.  
18 Leighton Hill Road and one from No.  
75 D'Aguilar Street.M. Polletan, French Minister of  
Marine, has issued a circular suppressing  
the extra pay for war service in China,  
Tongking, Annam, and Kwangchow from  
the 1st of January, 1903.The Shanghai Mercury states:—Mr  
L. C. Edmondston, the popular broker,  
who it will be remembered met with a  
rather serious accident at Bubbling Well  
road a few weeks ago, is proceeding home  
shortly in order to have his eye attend-  
ed to.The Japanese rider of Adelaide was  
killed in the Subscription Walks 1903  
race at Yokohama on the 11th inst. almost  
at the start, while half-way round Mits  
Stieveler was knocked through the fence  
and had to be shot, and her rider was  
taken to the hospital.

Murder at Singapore.

Two Japanese quarrelled over money  
matters at Singapore on the 14th inst., and  
another Japanese who attempted to  
separate them was stabbed to death. S.  
Matsutaro, who described himself as a  
curio dealer belonging to Hongkong, is now  
under arrest charged with murder and  
attempted murder.

In Need of Coal.

A telegram from Honolulu states that  
owing to the coal strike in British Columbia  
1,600 tons of coal due there for the use of  
British warships has not arrived. H. M.  
cruiser Amphitrite has consequently ap-  
pealed to the local naval station for 2,000  
tons of coal to enable her to return to  
Hongkong towing torpedo-boat destroyers  
Vingo and Sparrow from Esquimaux. The  
authorities have wired to Washington for  
permission to comply with the request.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

An Overcrowded Harbour.

We learn from a Home paper that the  
Est. and Firebrand were sold by the Ad-  
miralty "owing to the crowded condition of  
Hongkong Harbour."

The British Squadron.

It is believed (says a Home paper) that  
when the Centurion has completed her refit  
and overhaul she will return to the China  
Station, relieving the Goliath. Thus  
another of the Centurion class is returning  
Home after a short spell of service.  
Whether this means that she has also given  
trouble, or whether it is merely that the  
Admiralty contemplate a new distribution  
of ships, it is difficult at present to say.  
But seeing that the homogeneity of the  
China Squadron would be thus broken up,  
the former alternative seems the most  
likely.

Mr Bellios and Hongkong.

The Russian battleship Pobieda (or Vic-  
tory in English) arrived at Colombo on the  
8th inst. from Cronstadt on her way to the  
China station, and will resume the voyage  
next week. The Pobieda is of 12,674 tons  
displacement, and is armed with 4 10-in.  
and 11 6-in. quick-firing, and 45 lighter  
guns, besides 6 torpedo tubes. She is fitted  
with Belleville boilers, and her engines  
indicate 14,500 horse-power, with a speed  
of 18 knots an hour.

Plague at the Victoria Gaol.

This forenoon, a plague ambulance  
in charge of two coolies was taken into  
the Victoria Gaol, at the Central Police  
Station, and, later, came out laden with  
a native, suffering from plague. The un-  
fortunate was a prisoner, who had been  
admitted to the gaol for some petty crime,  
but it is not known where he contracted  
the disease. The Sanitary Authorities  
were at once sent for, and immediate steps  
were taken to disinfect the premises.

Children when Teething.

HAVE more or less diarrhoea, which  
cannot be checked effectually, as the  
cause cannot be removed; but the diarrhoea  
can and should be controlled by giving  
Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy,  
and an occasional dose of castor oil to  
cleanse the system.During the summer months children are  
subject to disorders of the bowels and  
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As soon as any looseness of the bowels is  
noticed, Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea  
Remedy should be given. Get a bottle to-  
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chemists and medicine vendors; WATKINS  
& Co., General Agents.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Derbyshire Sports.

The Sherwood Foresters are holding  
their annual sports at the New Parade  
Ground this afternoon. The heats of some  
of the events were run off yesterday.

Rats.

During the week ending 4th May the  
total number of rats caught in the Colony  
was 3,193, of which 177 were infected.  
For the weeks ended 11th and 18th May  
the figures were:—3,691 rats caught, 277  
infected; 3,671 rats caught, 211 infected.

Rinderpest.

On the recommendation of the Colonial  
Veterinary Surgeon the Sanitary Board  
yesterday decided to request the Govern-  
ment to grant \$3000 to provide means for  
the investigation of rinderpest. The Sur-  
geon wrote a minute making certain sug-  
gestions for carrying out the investigations,  
and it was decided to forward it on to the  
Government.

Rebels in Kwangsi.

A Peking telegram to the Mainichi  
says:—Governor Wang Chi-shun, of Kung-  
si, wired to the Government that the report  
about his having hired French troops to sup-  
press the rising in his province is unfoun-  
ded. The British, Japanese and American  
Ministers to Peking have pointed out to  
the Government that the reply sent by the  
Governor does not accord with facts.

Breaches of Duty.

The Sanitary Board yesterday decided  
on the motion of the President, seconded  
by Mr Messer, to appoint a Select Com-  
mittee consisting of the President and the  
Acting Medical Officer of Health under  
Section 14 Sub-section (2) of Ordinance  
No. 1 of 1903, for the purpose of inflicting  
fines for misconduct or neglect of duty.  
The President said the object of the motion  
was to save a lot of unnecessary trouble  
and delay.

Scavenging of the Hill District.

The report presented to the Sanitary  
Board yesterday with regard to the  
scavenging of the Hill district showed that  
during the period from the 10th till the  
17th inst., 745 piculs of rubbish were re-  
moved. The President, who said that the  
report showed that the scavenging con-  
tractor was doing his work somewhat better,  
stated that arrangements were being made  
for an European inspector to be employed  
to superintend scavenging work in the Peak  
district.

Hospitals.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice  
Memorial and Netherole Hospitals begs to  
acknowledge with thanks the following  
donations to the funds of the Hospitals:—  
Hormusjee Nusservanjee Cooper £500  
Dorabjee Nowrojee £500  
The following conditions are attached to  
these donations:—  
(1) The funds shall be named the  
Hormusjee Nusservanjee Cooper and  
Dorabjee Nowrojee Funds respectively  
and kept intact.  
(2) The funds shall be placed on fixed  
deposit in the Hongkong and Shanghai  
Banking Corporation and the annual  
interest thereon shall be applied to the  
funds of the Alice Memorial and  
Netherole Hospitals in the names of the  
donors.

Doctors' on Emigrant Ships.

The Attorney General, in introducing  
the Chinese Immigrants Ordinance Amend-  
ment Bill to the Straits Legislative Council  
on the 15th inst., said the object was to  
obviate the difficulty found in providing  
Chinese immigrant ships with doctors. The  
alterations in this amendment Bill put Eu-  
ropean, American and Japanese qualifi-  
cations subject to the approval of the Gov-  
ernor in Council. The Bill also made some  
verbal alterations in section 19, these hav-  
ing been suggested by the Protector of  
Chinese. The amendment added some-  
thing to the difficulties of the Governor in  
Council, but he believed it was a fair work-  
ing definition. The Acting Colonial Sec-  
retary having seconded the motion, the Bill  
was read a first time and moved for the  
second reading at next meeting.

The Kwangsi Famine Fund.

The Hon. Treasurer acknowledges  
with thanks the following subscriptions:—  
Chau Tung Sheng, Esq. £2,200  
Messrs Yuen Fat Hong £500  
The Chin Wa Hong Opium Firm £500  
Messrs Kwong Mow Tai £300  
Hop Hing Hong £300  
Lo Kun Ting, Esq. £300  
Messrs I On £300  
Ming Shun Sheng Kee £200  
Tak Cheung £200  
Kin Tai Leung £200  
Ming U Tai £200  
We Kue Hong £100  
Mau Cheung Yuen £100  
Kwong Tak Fat £100  
Kin Fat Hong £100  
Wo Shing £100  
Chau Cheung Wing £100  
Shui Wing Cheung £100  
Yee Shun Tai £100  
Hung Shing Cheung £100  
Kwan Hing Lung £100  
Yat Tak Shing £100  
Yan Fung U £100  
Kwong Man Wo £100  
Wo Hing Tai £100  
The Chin On Insurance Co. £100  
The Man On £100  
The Po On £100  
The I On £100  
The Yau On £100  
The Tak On £100  
The Hui On £100  
The Hui On £100  
Chan Hwan, Esq. £100  
Total £7,256.00  
Amount previously acknowledged £15,539.00  
Total £22,795.00

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Chief-Inspector Hanson, of the Police  
Force Detective Staff, in company with  
Mrs Hanson, arrived by the English Mail  
Steamer Cherson, from Europe, this morn-  
ing.

Cricket at Shanghai.

The Shanghai C.C. opened the season  
on the 10th inst. The First XI. scored 42  
(Lyes 13), and the Next XXII. 98. For  
the XXII., C. E. Dunman, a left-hander,  
took six wickets for 18 runs, and H. Griffin  
three for 11. Dunman scored 30 and D. S.  
Donnelly 17.

Chinese Coal for Naval Ships.

We learn (says the N. O. Daily News)  
that the British naval engineers who have  
tried it, report very favourably of the steam  
coal supplied by the Chungking Trading  
Co. from a mine near Chungking, and it is  
likely to be much used in future by H. M.  
ships on the Yangtze.

Fire.

Damage to the extent of \$10,000, was  
caused by a fire, which broke out at No.  
26, Des Voeux Road, Kowloon, last night,  
the premises of the American Match  
Factory. A party of Police, and the  
inmates, put out the fire before further  
damage was done.

Robbery with Violence.

Chan Chi, who, armed with weapons,  
attacked a ricksha coolie, and stole \$18.00  
from his person, was again brought before  
Mr F. A. Hazeland, at the Magistracy,  
this morning, charged on remand. Further  
evidence was led, and Mr Hazeland sent-  
enced the accused to six months' imprison-  
ment.

The Moffitt Case.

The case against R. P. Moffitt, who is  
alleged to have absconded with about  
\$10,000 belonging to the Dairy Farm Co.,  
was to-day brought before Mr F. A. Haze-  
land, charged on remand. Mr Hazeland  
remanded the accused till Tuesday, the  
24th inst., at 10 o'clock, when the hearing  
will be proceeded with.

Post Office and Empire Day.

Monday next, the 25th inst., having  
been declared a Public Holiday, the Post  
Office will open for 1 hour only, i.e., from  
8 a.m. to 9 a.m. There will be a delivery  
at 9 a.m., and a clearance from the whole  
of the Pillar Boxes as on Sunday. The  
Night Box will be kept open. The Money  
Order Office will be entirely closed.

Reward for Kindness.

Colonel Wel, who behaved so well to  
foreigners when in command of the district  
outside the great wall in 1900, was pre-  
sented by Mr Consul-General Hopkins, at  
the house of Mr Cousins, Tientsin, on the  
12th inst., in the name of the British and  
Chinese Syndicate Directors, with a gold  
repeater watch suitably engraved.

Kidnapped from Kwangsi.

Upon the complaint of three native  
girls, Inspector Hudson, R. G. O., arrested  
two natives and one woman, for being  
concerned in kidnapping the girls from  
Kwangsi and bringing them to this Port,  
compelling them to live in houses of ill-  
fame, against their will. The prisoners  
were arrested at No. 11 Teung San Street,  
by the Inspector and a district watchman.  
This morning, they were charged before Mr  
F. A. Hazeland, at the Magistracy, and  
were remanded till Friday-week.

Shanghai Fire Brigade.

The annual competition for the Fire  
Insurance Companies' shield at Shanghai  
took place on the 19th inst., and resulted  
in a win for the holders, who just managed  
to beat the Mih-ho-longers. The winners  
of the Insurance shield have been:—  
1895—Deluge Co. No. 4.  
1896—Mih-ho-long Co. No. 1.  
1897—Torment Co. No. 6.  
1898—Hongkong Co. No. 2.  
1899—Torment Co. No. 6.  
1900—Deluge Co. No. 4.  
1901—Deluge Co. No. 4.  
1902—Deluge Co. No. 4.  
1903—Deluge Co. No. 4.

Band at Hongkong Hotel.

By kind permission of Major Radcliff  
and Officers, the Band of the 33rd Burma  
Infantry will play at the Hongkong Hotel  
to-morrow (Saturday) evening from 8 to  
9.30 p.m.:—  
March..... "The Union's Call"..... Eilenberg  
Entr'acte..... "Mimi"..... Clarke  
Selection..... "Rendezvous of Godfrey"  
Song..... "Beloved, It is Morn'"..... Aylward  
Selection..... "A Chinese Rhapsody"  
Valse..... "Mon Secret"..... Talbot & Dance  
Dance..... "Baron Dance"..... Costa  
GOD SAVE THE KINGGLADYS: "So he proposed in his motor  
after a week's acquaintance? What did you  
tell him?" Dolly: "Told him that he was  
exceeding the speed limit."

What it will do.

Pain Balm heals bruises, burns, and  
scalds in less time than any other treat-  
ment. It is "antiseptic," that is, it  
prevents putrefaction, and by so doing  
generally prevents an unsightly scar  
remaining after the injury is healed. For  
burns, lumbago, and neuralgia, Pain  
Balm has no equal. It has the quality of  
"getting to the right spot." No sufferer  
from these distressing afflictions should  
defer a trial of this remedy. One applica-  
tion gives relief. Try it. For sale by all  
chemists and medicine vendors; WATKINS  
& Co., General Agents.

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]

GREAT BRITAIN AND CHINA.

London, May 20, 1903.

The Washington State Department has  
learned that Great Britain has notified  
China of her willingness to accord the same  
terms in regard to the indemnity as the  
United States.THE UNITED STATES AND  
MANCHURIA.It is semi-officially stated that the United  
States are prepared to insist to the end on  
American goods receiving the same treat-  
ment in Manchuria as Russian.

BULGARIA.

The new Bulgarian Cabinet is more  
friendly to Turkey and less subservient to  
Russia than its predecessors.

SUICIDE OF A CRICKETER.

Mr A. Shrewsbury, the Nottingham cricketer,  
has committed suicide with a revolver.  
Bad health is supposed to be the cause of  
the act.THE UNITED STATES EX-  
CHANGE COMMISSION.The United States International Exchange  
Commission has started on its visit to the  
European capitals, to seek a monetary  
arrangement for terminating the fluctuation  
in exchange between gold and silver-using  
countries.

[N. O. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.]

THE MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

Tokyo, May 16.

Lord Cranborne's statement in the House  
of Commons reported on the 12th, that  
Russia adheres to her engagements as to  
the evacuation of Manchuria, which is only  
temporarily delayed, and the leading article  
in the "Times" thereon, have caused much  
comment in Tokio. Some of the Tokio  
publicists are disposed to think that the  
British Government does not appreciate the  
gravity of the situation, and is too ready to  
trust Russia's assurances, which conflict  
significantly with the actual facts. The lead-  
ing journals, however, assert that it is  
obvious that a full understanding exists  
between the Cabinets in London and Tokio,  
and they are convinced that if the interests  
of either Power are seriously threatened,  
the potency of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance  
will at once make itself felt.PROJECTED INCREASE OF  
THE JAPANESE NAVY.The Government has introduced its Bill  
for the increase of the Navy. It provides  
£10,000,000 sterling for new ships, and  
£1,500,000 for running expenses during the  
construction period of twelve years.SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET  
IN JAPAN.The deadlock in the Diet over the inter-  
pretation of the Financial Law is almost  
certain to be solved in favour of the  
Ministry.MR CHAMBERLAIN'S  
ELECTION CRY.

London, May 16.

Mr Chamberlain, speaking at Birmingham,  
said that he did not think that a  
general election was near, but its issue  
would depend on whether the people were  
prepared to do all that is necessary, even  
if occasionally against their prejudices, to  
consolidate the Empire.

[FROM JAPANESE SOURCES.]

MANCHURIA.

Szeui, May 11.

Steamers of the Russian Volunteer Fleet  
and Norwegian steamers are conveying  
troops from Port Arthur to the Yalu coast.  
There are three Russian warships at the  
mouth of the Yalu and a strict patrol of  
the sea is maintained. All fishing opera-  
tions in the district and movements of  
ordinary vessels there are prohibited.—  
Kokumin.

PEKING, May 12.

It is understood that the British Acting  
Minister to Peking learned at the residence  
of Prince Ching that Russia now proposes  
to satisfy herself by securing mining and  
railway concessions in Mongolia and  
northern Tibet in lieu of the Manchuria  
Secret Treaty. It is believed that the  
matter will



## SUPREME COURT.

## IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before His Honour Sir H. S. Berkeley, Acting Chief Justice, and a Jury.)

Thursday, May 21.

The following are the remarks made by the Judge in sentencing the prisoner Li Kwai Fan, to death, for the murder of Young Kui Wan, in Gage Street, on January 10, 1901.

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## THE CLOSING OF CHINESE THEATRES.

## Position of the Sanitary Board.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday an application was considered requesting that the Ku Shing Theatre be not be closed by the Board. The petitioners were the managers of the theatre, who said that it was always kept clean and neat, and that they had to pay the landlords whether the theatre was closed or not.

The Board offered in conclusion to provide for better ventilation and to whitewash the hall once every three months. Since the outbreak of plague, they had already engaged many more coolies to clean the theatre daily after the performance.

Mr. Lau Chu Pak moved: "The closing of this and the other theatres will undoubtedly inflict great hardship and loss on the owners. Every year plague begins to gradually abate after the month of June. If compensation is to be paid, the good done, if any, is not worth the money spent."

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## CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, May 21.

THE FRENCH AND KWANGSI. Numerous telegrams have been sent from this province and from Kwangsi to Peking opposing Governor Wong's plan of securing the assistance of French soldiers in putting down malcontents and robbers in Kwangsi. These telegrams seem to be having some effect.

THE NEW POLICE FORCE. The newly-established Police Department has proved so satisfactory in the Old City, that the system is to be inaugurated in the New City, beginning on the first of the 5th Chinese Moon. There is considerable criticism among the people of the uniform. They say it is too much after foreign style, that the police are foreign employees, etc.

LIFE INSURANCE. The Insurance Companies are doing a thriving business in and about Canton. Both for the sake of the safe, reliable companies and for the protection of the people, it would be well if the Chinese officials would institute some sort of supervision of this line of business.

PLAGUE AND CHOLERA. Plague continues to be in some sections of the City, and I have heard of a few cases of cholera.

THE PROPERTY OWNERS' MEETING. At the meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday afternoon Mr. Howett put a question to the President (Dr. Atkinson) which produced an explanation about the recent meeting of property owners, and also an expression of regret that a slight error should have caused such misunderstanding.

Mr. Howett, who previously wrote to the Secretary of the Board announcing his intention to put a question on the subject, asked: "Why was the meeting of property owners called by the Secretary of the Sanitary Board without the sanction of the Board? He did not, he said, put the question in a spirit of carping criticism. There was, however, he thought, an important principle involved in the meeting from an advertisement in the local papers and the only information he got about the meeting was also from the local papers, and from one or two friends of his who were present."

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## LATE TELEGRAMS.

## Racing.

London, May 1.—In the race for the One Thousand Guineas, *Quintessence* was first, *San Rose* second, and *Bayou* third. May 6.—In the Chester Cup race *Vendula* was first; *Throne* second, and *Caru* third.

## The Cotton Duties.

May 2.—A joint conference of cotton employers and the Parliamentary Association held at Manchester passed a resolution to ask Lord George Hamilton to receive a deputation urging the abolition of the cotton import and countervailing duties in India.

## The Railway Strike in Australia.

May 8.—The Government of Victoria has summoned the State Railway Employees' Union, numbering 11,000 men, to accept of the Central Labour Union, called the Trades Hall, by the 12th instant, and has convened a special session of Parliament, for on the 12th instant the Engineers' Association will strike at midnight and will leave the railway service in the hands of the Government. The Australian public strongly supports the Government.

## Army News.

Singapore, May 8. Important orders have been issued regarding the arrangements in connection with Infantry regiments with the four Battalions. These battalions will be arranged in groups of two each, one group being under the command of the British Officer, and the other of the Non-Commissioned Officers will be, as far as possible, kept in one group throughout their service, the Home battalions finding all these required to report and making their own arrangements while the Foreign battalions make their own.

## The Irish Land Bill.

London, May 6.—In the debate on the Land Bill, Mr. Balfour expressed confidence in the Irish tenants never repudiating their obligations. The object of the Bill was not to make Home Rulers Unionists, but to remove a force which aggravated every political movement which might be directed against the Government. Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman said there was no alternative to the policy of land purchase. The Bill was not too large, rather the opposite.

## Mr. J. E. O'Connor.

Albany, May 5. The Governor of New York has appointed Mr. J. E. O'Connor, late Director-General of Statistics, on his retirement, which is a well-earned recognition of long and very exceptional services both to the Administration and the country.

## The Sugar Trade.

Calcutta, May 6.—The Bengal Chamber has addressed the Government of India, pointing out that large stocks of bounty-fed sugar were being thrown on the Indian market after the Brussels Convention comes into force in September next, and urges the Government of India to take timely steps to extend the Act, imposing countervailing duties on sugar imported from the Continent, which will ensure to the India Sugar Industry.

## The Italian Navy.

London, May 6.—Sir Basil Blackett in reply to a question asked by Mr. Chamberlain stated that Great Britain had made no proposal for a reduction in naval armaments, but if she did so, they might seem inopportune, as while Italy had been reducing her naval expenditure, Mr. Pares had been increasing his fleet. Moreover, Italy needs a powerful Navy on account of her position besides her interests in distant parts.

## Persian Affairs.

London, May 6.—Lord Lansdowne, in the House of Lords, said that there had been no negotiations with the promoters of the Baghdad Railway, or a Foreign Government, and only confidential communications with certain German financial houses, with the view of ascertaining whether the conditions of the enterprise permitted the Government offering it encouragement. The negotiations were ended. Besides desiring to ascertain the prospects of the enterprise, the Government were anxious to know whether anything they were doing, or leaving undone, was detrimental to British interests. At one time a statesmanlike and satisfactory solution of the difficulty appeared likely, but the view of the subject of negotiations, and he had every hope that, instead of the exclusion of the legitimate trade of other Powers, and we would resist the establishment of a Foreign Naval Base in the Gulf, would be at our disposal, but he was not aware of any proposal to that effect. Regarding the Persian Customs, he was not satisfied that Great Britain should rest content with the favoured-nation treatment, but he was not the subject of negotiations, and he had every hope that, instead of the exclusion of the legitimate trade of other Powers, and we would resist the establishment of a Foreign Naval Base in the Gulf, would be at our disposal, but he was not aware of any proposal to that effect.

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YOU may have an attack of diarrhoea, dysentery, or pain in the stomach of one of these days, and it will be well to remember the name of a medicine that will cure you. Say it—Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy.

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## To-day's Advertisements

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THE Undersigned have received instructions from THE REGISTRAR, SUPREME COURT, to Sell by Public Auction, FOR ACCOUNT OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE F. O. EDLIN, on

TUESDAY, the 26th May, 1903, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street.

SUNDRY GOODS AND EFFECTS, comprising TRUNKS, BOOKS, CLOTHING, &c., &c.

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Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1100

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Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1104

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE STATUTORY MEETING of the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 4, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, on SATURDAY, the 6th June, at Noon.

J. WHEELER, General Manager.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1103

VICTORIA PRECEPTORY AND PRIORY.

A REGULAR MEETING of the VICTORIA PRECEPTORY AND PRIORY will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at 8.30 for 9.00 p.m. precisely. Visiting Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1008

FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

INSURANCE HOLIDAY.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT FIRE INSURANCE OFFICES will be CLOSED for the transaction of Public Business on MONDAY, the 26th inst.

By Order, W. HUTTON POTTS, Secretary.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1100

BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

WANTED, by Young Man, FURNISHED BEDROOM, with Board, in Kowloon.

Apply, stating terms, etc., to "W. H. D., Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office, Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1099

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHOW. HAITAN, Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, 26th May, at 1 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903. 1105

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER CHUSAN.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessels are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS at Kowloon where each Consignment will be stored until Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This vessel brings on Cargo:—From LONDON, ex *s.s. Arcadia*. From CALCUTTA, ex *s.s. Sumatra*. From PANAMA, GULF, ex *s.s. B. I. S. N.* and *s.s. P. S. N. Co's*, steamers, *S. N.*

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 1 p.m. To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 26th May, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival, after which date they cannot be received. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

E. A. HEWITT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903.



## Shipping.

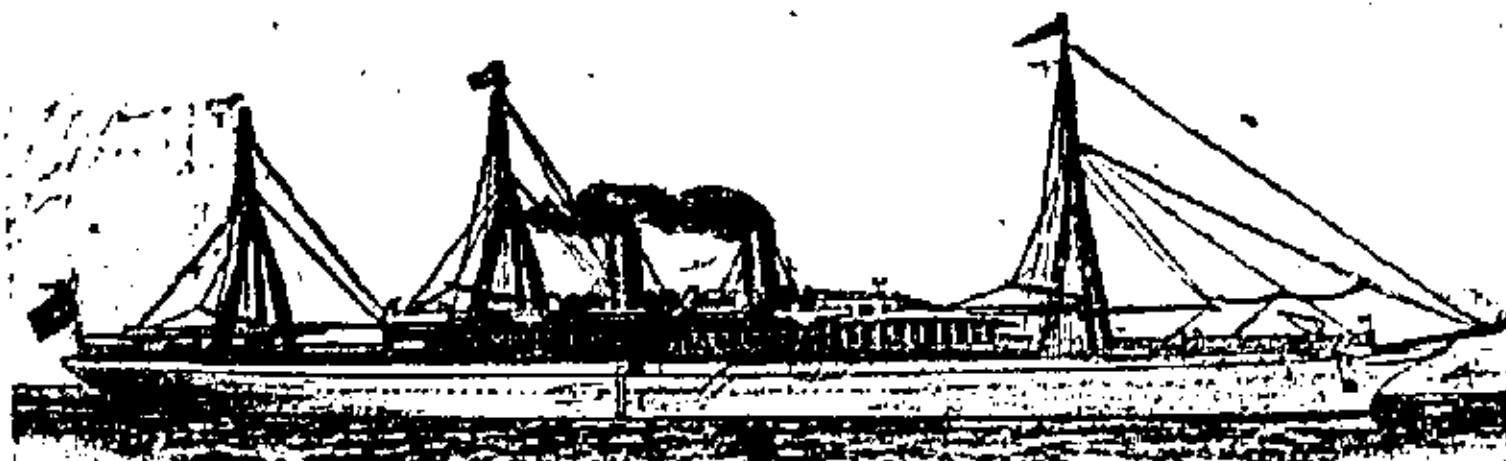
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.  
NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, COPENHAGEN, LONDON, GOSPORT, LIVERPOOL, GLASGOW, TRISTE, GENOA, PORTS in the LEVANT; BLACK SEA and BALTIC PORTS; NORTH and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.)

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.  
SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.FOR HAVRE, BREMEN AND HAMBURG.  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO.S.S. *Seppelt*, Capt. FORCK, 2nd June, 1903. Freight.FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND PENANG.S.S. *Strassburg*, Capt. MADSEN, 10th June, 1903. Freight & Passengers.FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO.S.S. *Suecia*, Capt. BORCK, 30th June, 1903. Freight.FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND PENANG.S.S. *Nürnberg*, Capt. JANING, 14th July, 1903. Freight.For further particulars, apply to  
**HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,**  
HONGKONG OFFICE,  
Queen's Buildings, No. 1.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S  
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.THE FAST ROUTE BETWEEN CHINA, JAPAN AND EUROPE,  
VIA CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.Calling at SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA AND VICTORIA, B.C.  
SAFETY—SPEED—PUNCTUALITY.Empress Twin Screw Steamships—6,000 Tons—10,000 Horse power—Speed 19 knot  
Saving 3 to 7 Days across the Pacific.PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG  
(Subject to Alteration.)

Steamship	Tons	Day	Month
R.M.S. <i>ATHENIAN</i>	3882	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, May 27.
R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF INDIA</i>	6000	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, June 3.
R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF CHINA</i>	6000	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, June 24.
R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF JAPAN</i>	4425	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, July 22.
R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF RUSSIA</i>	6000	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, Aug. 5.
R.M.S. <i>ATHENIAN</i>	3882	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, Aug. 12.
R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF INDIA</i>	6000	Tues.	WEDNESDAY, Aug. 26.

THE magnificent TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIPS of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C.) in 12 DAYS, saving THREE DAYS to a WEEK in the TRANS-PACIFIC journey, and make connection at Vancouver with the PALATIAL OVERLAND TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, which leave daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston, with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, of which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.

Passengers booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return tickets to various points at reduced rates. Good for 4, 6, 9 and 12 months. SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan.

The attractive features of this Company's route embrace its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS, (second to none in the world), the LUXURANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World's Exhibition) and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY through which the Railway passes.

THE DINING CARS AND MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are owned and operated by the Company, and their appointments and cuisine are unexcelled.

For further information Maps, Guides, Rates of Freight and Passage, apply to

D. E. BROWN, General Agent,  
PEDDER STREET 1112PORTLAND AND ASIATIC  
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, INLAND SEA OF JAPAN,  
MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA; FOR

OPERATING IN CONNECTION WITH THE OREGON RAILROAD &amp; NAVIGATION CO.

Steamship	Tons	Captain	Hongkong
ENDRASAMHA	5197	R. P. Craven	June 14, 1903
ANDRAVELLI	4899	W. E. Craven	July 14, 1903

Through Bills of Lading issued to Pacific Coast Points and all Eastern, Canadian and United States Ports. For through rates of Freight (and further information, communicate with or apply to

PORTLAND & ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  
Hongkong, May 5, 1903.

## NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.)

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

Steamers	Destinations	Sailing Date
KANAGAWA MARU, Capt. MOKKAI	MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP, Via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.	SATURDAY, 30th May, at Daylight.

Through Passenger Tickets issued to the Principal Cities in the United States, Canada, and Europe, in connection with the Great Northern Railway and Atlantic Steamers. Round-the-World Tickets also issued. Between Moji and Kobe, 1st and 2nd Class Through Passengers have the option of travelling by the Sanyo Railway.

For further information as to Freight, Passage, Sailings, etc., apply at the Company's Local Branch Office in Prince's Buildings, First Floor, Chater Road.

A. S. Mihara, Manager.

Hongkong, May 19, 1903.

## Shipping.

OCEAN STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED,  
AND  
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION  
COMPANY, LIMITED.  
JOINT SERVICES.

FORTNIGHTLY SAILINGS FOR LONDON.

MONTHLY SAILINGS FOR LIVERPOOL AND FOR CONTINENT

## OUTWARDS.

FROM	STEAMERS	DUE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TELEMACUS	1st June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	YANGTSE	4th June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	OSPACE	8th June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TELEMACUS	15th June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	PHOTICUS	22nd June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	STENTOR	27th June.

## HOMEWARDS

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
LONDON	PATROCLES	25th May.
LONDON	CALIAS	4th June.
LONDON	HYSON	20th June.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	ANTENOR	23rd June.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	ALCIBIUS	7th July.
LIVERPOOL	OSPACE	14th July.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	PLEURIS	12th May.

\* Taking Cargo for Liverpool at London Rates.

## TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA, and all PACIFIC COAST PORTS, VIA N'KI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.	TELEMACUS	17th June.

For Freight, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1903.

## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI	SHANSHI	26th May.
SHANGHAI	WHAMPOA	26th May.
CEBU AND LOILO	KAFONG	26th May.
CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN	NANCHANG	1st June.

\* The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by these Steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric Light. Unrivalled Table. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

\* Taking Cargo on through bills of lading to all Yangtze and Northern China Ports.

\* Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for all New Zealand and other Australian Ports.

N.B.—REDUCED SALOON FARES, Single and Return, To Manila and Australian Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
AGENTS.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903

## IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.  
STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID  
NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN/HAMBURG.PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS; ALSO  
LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON  
AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.STEAMERS WILL CALL AT GIBRALTAR AND SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND  
PASSENGERS AND LOGGERS.N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES  
IN RUSSIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Steamers	Sailing Dates
ZITEN	WEDNESDAY, 27th May.
SEUTTGART	THURSDAY, 11th June.
ROON	THURSDAY, 25th June.
PREUSSEN	THURSDAY, 9th July.
HAMBURG	THURSDAY, 23rd July.
PRINZ HEINRICH	THURSDAY, 6th Aug.
SACHSEN	THURSDAY, 20th Aug.
KIAUSCHOU	THURSDAY, 3rd Sept.

\* Steamers of the Hamburg-Amerika Linie.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of May, 1903, at Noon, the Steamship ZITEN, of the Norddeutscher Lloyd, Captain R. Wilhelm, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on Monday, the 26th May, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 26th May, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon on Tuesday, the 26th May. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardsess. Linen can be washed on board.

Norddeutscher Lloyd.

For further Particulars, apply to  
Melchers & Co., Agents.NORTHERN PACIFIC S.S. CO.  
BOSTON STEAMSHIP CO.  
BOSTON TOW-BOAT CO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Via Shanghai, Inland Sea of Japan, Kobe and Yokohama.

FOR VICTORIA, B.C., AND TACOMA

IN CONNECTION WITH

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.

Steamers	Tons	Captains	To Sail
VICTORIA	3502	J. Pantou	May 21
SHAWMUT	3036	W. M. Smith	May 30
OLYMPIA	2937	J. Trubridge	June 24
TACOMA	2812	A. Dixon	July 6

Steamers marked (\*) have no passenger accommodation.

THE attention of passengers is directed to the very cheap rates offered by this Line to the PACIFIC COAST and to the INTERIOR and EASTERN CITIES of the UNITED STATES and to EUROPE.

Special rates allowed to members of Government Services.

Through Bills of Lading issued to PACIFIC COAST POINTS and to the Principal Cities in the United States and Canada.

For further information as to Freight, or Passage, Apply to

DODWELL & CO., Limited, General Agents.  
Hongkong, May 11, 1903.

## Shipping.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP  
NAVIGATION COMPANY.

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATE named:—

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL ON	REMARKS
LONDON & ANTWERP	Malacca	Noon, 23rd May.	See Special Advertisement
SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, AND BOMBAY	Malacca	Noon, 29th May.	Freight or Passage.
YOKOHAMA, VIA S'BAI, AND KOBE	Manila	About 30th May.	Freight or Passage.
SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, AND BOMBAY	Tientsin	About 30th May.	Freight only.

For further Particulars, apply to  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, May 21, 1903.

## HONGKONG—MANILA.



Highest Class, newest, fastest and most luxurious Steamers between Hongkong and Manila.—Saloon amusements.—Electric Light—Perfect Cuisine.—Surgeon carried.—All the most up-to-date arrangements for comfort of Passengers.

CHINA AND MANILA  
STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

Steamship	Tons	Captain	For	Sailing Dates
RUBI	2540	R. W. Almond	Manila Direct	May 23, at 10 a.m.
ZAFIRO	2540	R. Redger	"	May 30, at 10 a.m.
PERLA	1890	J. McGinly	"	"

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Shewan, Tomes & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, May 16, 1903.

## OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR	STEAMERS	LEAVING
TAMSUI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOI	DAIJIN MARU	SUNDAY 24th
ANPING, VIA SWATOW AND AMOI	MAIZU MARU	WEDNESDAY, 27th May.
TAMSUI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOI	DAIJI MARU	MONDAY, 1st June.
FOOCHOW, VIA SWATOW AND AMOI	ANPING MARU	WEDNESDAY, 3rd June.

The Co.'s new Steamers are specially designed for the coast trade of South China and Formosa, and are fitted with all modern improvements. Excellent accommodation is provided for 1st class passengers, and a duly qualified Doctor is carried.

All Steamers carry the Imperial Japanese Mail, subject to periodical inspection by the Government Marine Surveyors, and are registered the highest at Lloyd's. Steamers will go alongside the Co.'s Pontoons at the Customs water-front premises at Tamsui to land all Passengers and cargo.

For Freight, Passage and further information apply at the Co.'s local Branch Office, at No. 2, Des Vaux Road Central.

T. ARIMA,  
MANAGER.

Hongkong, May 22, 1903.

## TOYO KISEN KAISHA

(ORIENTAL S. S. Co.)

REGULAR SERVICE BETWEEN HONGKONG AND MANILA IN 48 HOURS.

The Company's well-known Steamship ROSETTA MARU, 3870 Tons, Captain N. Tate, will be despatched for MANILA on WEDNESDAY, the 27th May, at 11 a.m. To be followed by Rosetta Maru on the 2nd June.

Magnificent Accommodation. Comfortable Cabins. Excellent Table. Unrivalled Speed. Electric Light. Doctor and Stewardsess carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply at the Company's Office, 3 Queen's Buildings, Ice House Street.

K. NAKASHIMA,  
Manager.

Hongkong, May 21, 1903.

## EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN, and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &amp;c.)

THE Steamship EMPIRE, Captain Hume, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 27th June, at noon. This well-known Steamer is especially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber, which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &amp;c., throughout the voyage.

A Stewardsess and a duly-qualified Surgeon are carried.

N.B.—To secure the additional comfort of passengers the steamers of the Company have electric fans fitted in state-rooms.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 14, 1903.

## STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

(With liberty to call at PHILIPPINE Ports.)

THE 'Shire' Line Steamship PEMBROKESHIRE, Shortly expected, will have quick despatch.

The American Asiatic Steamship Co.'s NORMAN ISLES will be despatched on or about MONDAY, the 16th June.

For Freight, &c., apply to  
SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 16, 1903.

## Shipping.

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship THALES, Captain ROSSON, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, 23rd Inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, May 20, 1903.



STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Through Bills of Lading issued for BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, VENICE AND ADRIATIC PORTS.

THE Steamship HENGAL, Capt. A. L. VALENTIN, carrying the Majesty's Mail, will be despatched for this Port on SATURDAY, the 23rd May, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &amp;c., will be conveyed via Bombay, WITH TRANSHIPMENT.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to  
E. A. HEWETT,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, May 9, 1903.

FOR KOBE, NAGASAKI AND VLADIVOSTOCK.  
CALLING AT GENSAN.

THE Steamship SAVOIA, Captain DEBAT, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 24th Inst., at Daylight.

This steamer has superior Accommodation for First Class Passengers and carries a Doctor.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,  
Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, May 12, 1903.

REGULAR  
STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO NEW YORK.

VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL.

(With Liberty to Call at PHILIPPINE Ports.)

THE Steamship HUDSON, will be despatched for the above ports on or about 25th May.

Apply to  
STANDARD OIL CO. OF NEW YORK,  
Oriental Freight Department,  
Agents.

Hongkong, May 14, 1903.

## AUSTRIAN NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR FIUME and TRIESTE Direct, Calling at SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ and PORT SAID.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to the BRAZIL, to SOUTH AFRICA, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, VENICE and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

THE Company's Steamship MELPOMENE, Captain TOSCHI, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 30th May, p.m.

For information as to Passage and Freight, apply to  
SANDER, WIELER & Co.,  
Agents, Prince's Buildings.

Hongkong, May 20, 1903.

## NOTICE.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, CALCUTTA, DIBOUTI, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX.

Also  
PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

ON TUESDAY, the 2nd June, 1903, at 11 a.m. the Company's Steamship SALAZIE, Captain AUBERT, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for Marseilles via Ports of Call, WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on MONDAY, the 1st June. Specie and Parcels received until 4 p.m. on the same day. No Cargo will be received on board on Tuesday.

Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office. Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, May 21, 1903.



Shipping.

**FOR NEW YORK VIA PORTS.**  
**THE H. A. L. Steamship**  
 NUBIA,  
 Captain von Hoff, will be despatched for the above ports on SUNDAY, the 21st May.  
 For Freight, apply to  
 HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,  
 Hongkong Office,  
 Hongkong, April 30, 1903.

**BEN LINE OF STEAMSHIPS.**  
 FOR GENOA, LONDON, AND ANTWERP.  
 The Steamship  
 BENMOIR,  
 Capt. WALLACE, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 3rd June, 1903.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, May 11, 1903. 1038

**FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.**  
 The Company's Steamship  
 HEATHFORD,  
 will be despatched on or about 5th June.  
 For Freight, apply to  
 ARNOLD KARBURG & CO.,  
 General Agents for China,  
 Hongkong, May 19, 1903. 1038

Notices to Consignees.

**AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.**  
 NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
 FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

The Co's Steamship "Kunming", having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, where delivery may be obtained.  
 Optional Cargo will be discharged here, unless notice to the contrary be given immediately.  
 No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before the 25th of May, or they will not be recognized.  
 No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 28th of May, will be subject to rent.  
 Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
 SANDER, WELER & Co.,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, May 21, 1903. 1036

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**STEAMER OCEANIC.**  
 COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from LONDON via S.S. "Matapan", in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.  
 Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon, To-day, the 16th inst., requesting it to be landed here.  
 Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned, Goods remaining undelivered after SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 23rd inst., or they will not be recognized.  
 All damaged packages will be examined on SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
 G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
 Agent,  
 Hongkong, May 16, 1903. 1052

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**GLEN LINE OF STEAMERS.**  
 FROM MIDDLESBROUGH, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

The Steamship "Glen", having arrived from the above Port, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 24th inst. will be subject to rent.  
 No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
 All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the Damage obtained from the Godown Co. Subscribed Capital, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Paid-up Capital, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Reserve Fund, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Fire Fund, £2,700,000 0 0  
 MCGREGOR BROS. & GOW,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, May 18, 1903. 1052

**IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.**

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
 THE Steamship  
 STUTTGART,  
 OF THE NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 24th inst. will be subject to rent.  
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 MCGREGOR BROS. & GOW,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, May 18, 1903. 1052

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
 THE Steamship  
 STUTTGART,  
 OF THE NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 24th inst. will be subject to rent.  
 No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
 All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the Damage obtained from the Godown Co. Subscribed Capital, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Paid-up Capital, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Reserve Fund, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Fire Fund, £2,700,000 0 0  
 MCGREGOR BROS. & GOW,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, May 18, 1903. 1052

Notices to Consignees.

**THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER CANTON.**  
 FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.  
 Optional goods will be landed here unless intimation is given to the contrary before 2 p.m. To-day.  
 Goods not cleared by the 24th inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.  
 No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.  
 Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognized. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.  
 R. A. HEWETT,  
 Superintendent,  
 Hongkong, May 18, 1903. 1061

**THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO'S STEAMER NANKIN.**  
 FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.  
 This Vessel brings on Cargo:—  
 From KURACHI ex S.S. "Kangra".  
 Goods not cleared by the 22nd inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.  
 No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.  
 Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Co's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.  
 E. A. HEWETT,  
 Superintendent,  
 Hongkong, May 18, 1903. 1050

**INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
 FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

The Company's Steamship "Kunming", having arrived from the above Port, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.  
 Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon, To-day, the 16th inst., requesting it to be landed here.  
 Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned, Goods remaining undelivered after SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 23rd inst., or they will not be recognized.  
 All damaged packages will be examined on SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
 G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
 Agent,  
 Hongkong, May 16, 1903. 1052

Insurances.

**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
 TOTAL FUNDS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1901, £17,725,693.  
 Authorized Capital, £3,000,000 0 0  
 Subscribed Capital, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Paid-up Capital, £2,700,000 0 0  
 Fire Fund, £2,700,000 0 0  
 MCGREGOR BROS. & GOW,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, May 18, 1903. 1052

**SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., Agents.**  
 Hongkong, July 2, 1902. 1537

**SALAMANDER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**

The Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to accept Risks against Fire at Current Rates.  
 HOTT, JACOB & Co.,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, March 31, 1900. 738

Banks.

**THE MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.**  
 AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,500,000  
 SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £1,125,000  
 PAID UP, £562,500  
 RESERVE FUND, £50,000  
 LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.  
 INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.  
 On Fixed Deposits:—  
 For 12 Months, 4%  
 " 6 " 3%  
 " 3 " 2%  
 EVAN ORMISTON,  
 Acting Manager,  
 Hongkong, April 1, 1902. 234

**THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.**  
 ESTABLISHED 1880.  
 CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, ¥24,000,000  
 CAPITAL PAID-UP, ¥18,000,000  
 CAPITAL UNPAID, ¥6,000,000  
 RESERVE FUND, ¥9,000,000  
 HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.  
 BRANCHES AND AGENTS:—  
 TOKYO, KOBE, NAGASAKI, LONDON, LIVERPOOL, NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, HONGKONG, BOMBAY, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, NEWCHANG, Peking.  
 LONDON BANKERS: The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited, Part's Bank, Limited, The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.  
 HONGKONG BRANCH:—  
 HONGKONG BRANCH—Interest allowed at the rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance. On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum. On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per annum. On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per annum.  
 TAIRO HODSUMI,  
 Manager,  
 Hongkong, March 13, 1903. 589

**IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.**  
 ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE ON THE 12th NOVEMBER, 1895.  
 SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 5,000,000  
 PAID-UP CAPITAL, Tls. 2,500,000  
 HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.  
 BRANCHES AND AGENTS:—  
 CANTON, PEKING, CHEFOO, PENANG, SHINGAPORE, CHUNGKING, HANKOW.  
 THE BANK PURCHASES and receives for Collection Bills of Exchange drawn on the above places, and Sales Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers Payable at its Branches and Agencies.  
 HONGKONG BRANCH:—  
 Advances made on approved securities. Bills Discounted.  
 Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.  
 On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months, 3%  
 " 6 " 4%  
 " 12 " 5%  
 E. W. RUTTER,  
 Manager,  
 Hongkong, January 18, 1901. 1970

**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**  
 PAID-UP CAPITAL, £10,000,000  
 RESERVE FUND, £10,000,000  
 Sterling Reserve, £10,000,000  
 Silver Reserve, £5,000,000  
 RESERVE LIABILITY OF £10,000,000  
 DIRECTORS:—  
 A. J. RAYMOND, Esq., Chairman.  
 H. E. TOMES, Esq., Deputy Chairman.  
 Hon. C. W. DICKSON, Esq., H. Schubart, Esq., G. Goetz, Esq., H. Schellin, Esq., G. H. Medhurst, Esq., Hon. H. Sheehan, N. A. Sles, Esq., H. W. Slade, Esq., C. Michelau, Esq., CHIEF MANAGER: Hongkong—J. R. M. SMITH, MANAGER: Shanghai—H. M. BEVIS.  
 LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LD.  
 HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.  
 On Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.  
 On Fixed Deposits:—  
 For 3 months 2 1/2 per cent per annum.  
 " 6 " 3 " " "  
 " 12 " 4 " " "  
 J. R. M. SMITH,  
 Chief Manager,  
 Hongkong, May 15, 1903. 366

**HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.**  
 THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.  
 INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3% PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.  
 For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
 J. R. M. SMITH,  
 Chief Manager,  
 Hongkong, May 1, 1900. 1517

**THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.**  
 AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000  
 PAID UP CAPITAL, £324,374.  
 HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.  
 Board of Directors: CHAN KIT SHAN, Esq., J. SCOTT HASTON, Esq., CHOW TUNG SHANG, Esq., J. LATIS, Esq., CHIEF MANAGER: Gao. W. F. PLATTMAN.  
 Interest for 12 months fixed ... 5%  
 Hongkong, May 12, 1903. 117

Banks.

**INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.**  
 HEAD OFFICE—NEW YORK.  
 FISCAL AGENTS FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN CHINA AND THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.  
 CAPITAL PAID IN, GOLD \$4,000,000...£ 890,000  
 GOLD \$4,000,000...£ 890,000  
 TOTAL, GOLD \$8,000,000...£1,780,000  
 CAPITAL AND SURPLUS AUTHORIZED, GOLD \$10,000,000...£2,255,000.  
 LONDON BANKERS: National Provincial Bank of England, Ltd., The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.  
 THE Corporation buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit and carries on every description of Banking and Exchange business. Money received on Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balances, and on Fixed Deposit as follows:—  
 For 12 months, 4 1/2 per cent. per annum.  
 " 6 " 4 " " "  
 " 3 " 3 " " "  
 HONGKONG—TEMPORARY OFFICE, PRINCE'S BUILDINGS.  
 CHARLES R. SCOTT,  
 Manager,  
 Hongkong, April 7, 1903. 101

**THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.**  
 INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1852.  
 HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.  
 CAPITAL PAID-UP, £280,000  
 RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE, £280,000  
 RESERVE FUND, £272,000  
 INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.  
 On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4 1/2%  
 " 6 " 4 " "  
 " 3 " 3 " "  
 T. P. COCHRANE,  
 Acting Manager,  
 Hongkong, May 10, 1903. 810

**DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.**  
 PAID-UP CAPITAL, Shai Tls. 5,000,000.  
 HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI.  
 BOARD OF DIRECTORS: BERLIN.  
 BRANCHES: CALCUTTA, TIENTSIN.  
 LONDON BANKERS: Messrs N. M. Rothschild & Sons, The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.  
 Deutsche Bank (Berlin), London Agency, Direction der Disconto Gesellschaft.  
 Interest allowed on Current Account. Deposits received on terms which may be learnt on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
 H. J. FIGGE,  
 Manager,  
 Hongkong, October 6, 1902. 296

**GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.**  
 (AMERICAN BANK).  
 ESTABLISHED 1864.  
 PAID UP CAPITAL, U.S. \$2,000,000 Gold  
 SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS, 5,180,000 Gold  
 U.S. \$7,180,000 Gold.  
 HEAD OFFICE—NEW YORK.  
 LONDON OFFICE: 33 & 35 Lombard Street E.C.  
 F. C. BISHOP, Manager Eastern Dept.  
 LONDON BANKERS: PARB'S BANK, LIMITED.  
 HONGKONG OFFICE: 4, DES VUEX ROAD.  
 General Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
 INTEREST ALLOWED.  
 On Current Accounts at 2% per annum.  
 On Fixed Deposits:—  
 for 3 months 2 1/2 per cent. per annum.  
 " 6 " 3 " " "  
 " 12 " 4 " " "  
 E. F. GROS,  
 Acting Manager,  
 Hongkong, December 1, 1902. 1364

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 CHINA MAIL Office, Dec. 1900.

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HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, May 21, 1903.  
 At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.

Butcher Meat.

Beef sirloin & prime cut—Mei Lung Pa	lb 17
" Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk	16
" Roast—Shiu	17
" Soup—Tung Yuk	12
" Steak—Ngau Yuk Pa	17
" Sausages—Ngau Yuk Chung	7
Bullock's Brains—, Know	per set 7
" Tongue fresh—Ngau Li	each 45
" Corned—Ham Ngau Li	55
" Head—Ngau Tau	55
" Heart—Ngau Sun	1b 9
" Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin	13
" Feet—Ngau Kerk	each 8
" Kidneys—Ngau Yiu	16
" Tail—Ngau Mei	1b 9
" Liver—Ngau Con	5
" Tripe (addressed)—Ngau To	5
Calves' Head and Feet—Ngau-chai-tan-lak	set 75
Mutton Chop—Young Pai Kw	1b 22
" Leg—Young Pai	20
" Shoulder—Young Shau	20
Pigs: Chittings—Chi chong	7
" Feet—Chi Kerk	12
" Head—Chi Chak	12
" Head—Chi Tau	14
" Heart—Chi Sun	each 9
" Kidneys—Chi Yiu	6
" Liver—Chi Con	1b 21
Pork, Chop—Chi Pak Kwat	18
" Corned—Ham Chu Yuk	18
" Leg—Chu Pei	15
" Fat or Lard—Chu Yau	15
Sheeps' Head and Feet—Young Tau R	set 48
" Heart—Young Sun	each 6
" Kidneys—Young Yiu	9
" Liver—Young Con	1b 20
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai	18
Suet, Back—Sung Ngau Yau	18
" Mutton—Sung Young Yau	20
Veal—Ngau Chai Yuk	18
" Sausages—Ngau Chai Yuk Tong	15

Poultry.

Chicken—Kai Chai	lb 32
Capon, Large, Small—Sin Kai	28
Ducks—A	each 24
Doves—Pan Kau	each 23
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan	per dozen 26
Fowls, Canton—Kai	25
" Hainan—Hoi Nam Kai	25
Geese—Ngor	24
Goose, Wild Sh'ai—Sh'ai Yee Ngor	pair 24
Musk Deer—Wong Keng	each 32
Hare, Shanghai—Tu Chai	—
Partridges—Cho Khoo	—
Pheasant—Shan Kai	pair 32
Pigeons, Canton—Pak Koy	each 28
" Hoilow—Hoi How Pak Koy	28
Quail—Um Chun	each 27
Rice Birds—Wo Pa Cheuk	dozen 23
Snipe—Sa Chui	—
Turkeys, Cook—Phor Kai Kung	75
" Hen—, Na	65
Wild Ducks, Sh'ai—Shanghai Sui-ap	pair 1
Teal—Sui Ap Chai	—
Wild Ducks, Canton—Sang Shing Sui Ap	ca

Fish.

Barbel—Ka Yu	14
Bream—Bin Yu	12
Canton Fresh Water Fish—Ho' Siu Yu	18
Carp—Li Yu	15
Catfish—Chik Yu	11
Codfish—Man Yu	14
Crabs—Hoi	16
Cuttle Fish—Muk Yu	13
Dab—Sa Mang Yu	8
Dace—Wong Mei Lan	12
Dog Fish—Ting Tu Sa	8
Eels, Congor, Hai Mau Yu	14
" Fresh water—Tam Siu Yu	15
Eels, Yellow—Wong Sin	24
Frog—Tien Kai	24
Garoupa—Sek Pan Yu	12
Gudgeon—Pak Kuy Yu	14
Herring—Tao Pak	14
Halibut—Cheung Kwan Yu	18
Labrus—Wong Fa Yu	16
Loach—Wu Yu	24
Lobster—Lung Ha	18
Mackerel—Chi Yu	16
Manok Fish—Mon Yu	20
Mullet—Chi Yu	18
Oysters—Sang Huo	20
Par otfish—Kai Kung Yu	15
Perch—Lai Loc	16
Pike—Pa Pau Wong	11
Plaice—Pan Yu	20
Protet, Black—Hak Chong	20
Pomfret, White, Pak Cheng	28
Prawns—Ming Ha	32
Ray—Pai Pa Sa	9
Salmon—Chun Yu	24
Shark—Sa Yu	8
Skate—Po Yu	9
Shrimps—Ha	20
Snapper—Lap Yu	18
Soles—Tat Sa Yu	20
Tench—Wan Yu	10
Turbot—Cho How	18
Turtles, small, fresh, water—Kork Yu	70
White Bait—Ngau Yu C	—

Rock Fish, Sea Kung, etc.

Rock Fish—Bek Kau Kung	15
Shark—Chun Yu	24
Salmon—Ma Yau	24
Shark—Sa Yu	8
Skate—Po Yu	9
Shrimps—Ha	20
Snapper—Lap Yu	18
Soles—Tat Sa Yu	20
Tench—Wan Yu	10
Turbot—Cho How	18
Turtles, small, fresh, water—Kork Yu	70
White Bait—Ngau Yu C	—

Fruits.

Almonds—Huang Yan	1b 20
Apples, (California)—Kau San Ping Kho	50
" (Choo)—Tin Chun Ping Khor	—
" Small—Hoi Tong	—
" Custard—Pan Lai Chi	each 5
Bananas, fragrant, Canton—San Shing	5
Hong Chai	5
Bananas, (brides), Macao—San Heung Chiu	8
Chestnuts, Chinese—Fong Lut	—
Carambola—Yeung Tau	—
Cocoanuts—Yeh Tsz	each 8
Grapes—Sin Tai Tsz	—
Lemons, China—Ning Moong	10
Lichees, Dried—Lai Chi Con	15
Limes, (Siam)—Sai Kung Ning Moong	each 6
Mango, Manila—Lai Sung Moong	10
Mango, Saigon—Sai Kung Moong	5
Man oysters—San Chuk Tsz	dozen 35
Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tin Chong	—
" Small—Tai Kut	—
" Mandarin—Tin Kut	—
Olives—Pak Lam	1b 7
Pears, (American)—Kau San Shui Li	—
" (Canton), Cooking—Sa Li	8
" (Shanghai)—Sheung Hai Li	20
Peanuts—Fa Sang	10
Persimmons Large—Hung Chie	—
Pine-apples, 1st quality—Sheung Poon	10
" 2nd quality—Sheung Poon	6
" 2nd cooking—Chung-tung-paw-law	—
Plantains—Tai Chai	2
Pumpkin, Siam—Chim Lo Yan	30
W nuts—Hop Tuo	10

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, Shanghai—Sheung Hai Ah	4
Chi Chouk	—
Beans, (French), Macao—Oh Moon Pin Tu	9
" (French), Shanghai—Sheung Hai	—
" Sprout—Ah Chai	—
Doves—Pan Kau	8
" Long—Tau Kok	—
Beet Root—Hung Chai Lau	each 2
Brinjals, Green—Ching Yuen Ker	1
" Red—Hung Ker	3



